

# Step up to the PLATE!



Did you know that  
20,000 children  
are abused and  
neglected every  
year in Indiana?

## Indiana Kids First Trust Fund

The Indiana Kids First Trust Fund collects revenues from the  
“Kids First” license plate and other sources.

The Kids First Board distributes funds focused on the  
prevention of child abuse & neglect throughout Indiana.

## The Goal

Throughout Indiana funds are provided for primary and secondary prevention services to Indiana’s children to help ensure that they are not abused or neglected. The Kid’s First Trust Fund grant recipients work to provide practical solutions that teach good parenting skills, including the importance of nutrition, how to be an active parent and how to discipline without spanking the child. Other programs provide children with encourage-

ment that helps them grow up healthy and break the intergenerational chain of abuse and neglect.

The Kid’s First Trust Fund sends contributions from Kids First License plate sales directly to local community programs that prevent the tragedy of child abuse and neglect. Income for the Kid’s First Trust Fund comes from “Kids First” plate sales, fee collections (marriage & divorce filing fees), heirloom birth certificate sales, cash donations and interest.

## More info?

Please contact the Indiana Kids First Trust Fund at 317-232-3477  
[www.in.gov/dcs/prevention/grant.html](http://www.in.gov/dcs/prevention/grant.html) or visit the BMV website at  
[www.in.gov/bmv/platesandtitles/](http://www.in.gov/bmv/platesandtitles/)

Learn how your financial support can help to protect children and preserve families. If you are purchasing a Kids First license plate for the first time, you cannot do so online. You must visit your BMV branch office.

A license plate does not need to be purchased to donate to Kids First Trust.  
Donations can be made at: [www.in.gov/ai/appfiles/kidsfirst-donations](http://www.in.gov/ai/appfiles/kidsfirst-donations)

